

Improving Student Learning through Data

Best Practices Using Data-Driven Decision Making

Many educators face the challenge of how to transform educational accountability from a list of test scores to a holistic approach that includes specific accountability indicators in leadership, teaching, and curriculum. Join us for the opportunity to learn how to move from a superficial examination of data to an effective system of data examination and application to improved teaching for enhanced student achievement.

Saturday (8:30 -4:00):

Spend a full day examining data and making leadership and instructional decisions within the framework of a proven and effective process under the leadership of Dr. Steven White. **Bring your own CRT data for practice.** Lunch is provided.

Friday Morning (8:30 – 12:00):

Join practitioners who will be sharing proven strategies being used across the state that lead to improved student achievement. Sessions will present applications supporting the use of data to inform instruction, effective solutions for improving student success, and ways to address assessment challenges for New Mexico students. Dr. Veronica Garcia, New Mexico Secretary of Education will be the keynote speaker.



Dr. Stephen White

Dr. Stephen White is a nationally known educational consultant whose expertise in data analysis, systems, leadership assessment, and educational audits are helping to change the way educators view themselves and manage data in an era of high-stakes accountability and testing. With more than 33 years experience in public and private education, Dr. White has served as a teacher, counselor, coordinator, director, high school principal and superintendent. Extensive success forging public and private partnerships has allowed him to be involved in significant reform initiatives and to advance high-quality practices from the classrooms to the boardrooms. Dr. White is a Professional Development Associate for the nationally known Center for Performance Assessment. His recent books, "Beyond the Numbers" and "Show Me the Proof!" provide insights, strategies, and collaborative tools from education and industry to improve quality, efficiency, and effectiveness. Books will be on sale at the conference.

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Joint Winter Conference

NMASCD and NMAESP

January 20 & 21, 2006

Embassy Suites

1000 Woodward Place, NE
Albuquerque, New Mexico

(505) 245-7100

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BRING YOUR OWN CRT DATA
FOR PRACTICE!**

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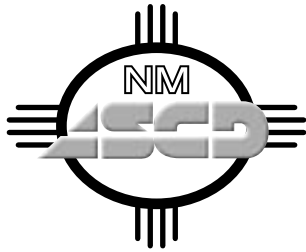
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MISSION

**NMASCD ensures that
successful teaching and
learning are a priority for
all New Mexicans.**

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Excellence in Education Awards — Request for Nominees



Educators are the least recognized professionals. Each year NMAASCD sponsors the Excellence in Education Awards. Nominated from the membership, up to five outstanding educators are honored from their respective fields: Elementary, Middle School, High School, Administration, and Higher Education. The nominee for this award would be a member who is innovative in spirit and practice and dedicated to the education of New Mexico's children. Please take the time to nominate an outstanding member of our profession. Recipients will be honored at a luncheon on Jan. 20 at the NMAASCD Winter Conference.

EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION AWARD NOMINATION FORM

Check one area:

- Elementary Middle Secondary
- Administrator Higher Ed Other

Criteria:

1. Member of New Mexico ASCD.
2. Innovative in spirit and practice.
3. Minimum of 3 years in that position.
4. Completed nomination either through email or U.S. Postal Service

Nomination:

Name:
 School:
 School Address:
 District: School Phone:
 Position: No. of years in position:

How is nominee innovative in spirit and practice?

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**Why should this nominee be considered for an
Excellence in Education Award?**

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Person making this nomination (self-nomination not allowed):

Name: Title:
 Address: Phone:

Please mail to:

Chris Milyard
 P.O. Box 57, Mesilla Park, NM 88047
 or cmilyard@nmsu.edu
 by January 6, 2006

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Presented by Dr. Steven White

Conference Dates:

January 20 & 21, 2006

Rooms are available at:

Embassy Suites
1000 Woodward Place, NE
Albuquerque, NM 87102
(505) 245-7100

Single/Double Occupancy
\$119.00 per night.

Includes full breakfast and evening social.

Please reserve rooms prior to December 20, 2005.

Registration Form

Name:

Work Address:

City, State, & Zip:

School and District:

Work Phone: Home Phone:

Email:

\$100 NMACSD or NMAESP Member

\$125 non-member

Vegetarian Meal Requested

Registration Deadline:

January 10, 2006.

No refunds for cancellations after deadline or for no shows.

Return this form with payment of check (payable to NMACSD), or purchase order number to:

Sheila Hartman
NMACSD
805 Monte Vista Rd., SE
Deming, NM 88030
Phone: 505-546-8841 Fax: 505-546-8517
sheila.hartman@demingps.org

Return this portion and check payable to NMASCD to:

Home Phone _____

Sheila Hartman, Secretary to the Executive Director
Deming Public Schools
1001 S. Diamond
Deming, NM 88031-0763

Fax _____

Email address _____

Professional, \$25 Student, \$10

I am willing to help with:

- Newsletter / Articles
- Conference / Program
- Board Member Activities
- New Mexico Contact
- Other _____

Name _____

Work Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Home Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

District _____

School _____

Position _____

Work Phone _____

Enclosed is my payment of _____ for a year's membership.

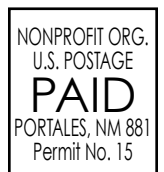
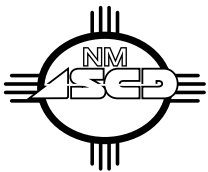
Date: _____

Please complete this optional survey:

Gender _____ Ethnicity _____

Age:

under 45 45 or older



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